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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE **GROUP ART UNIT 2891**

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Applicant: Kazuo KASUE et al.

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Art Unit: 2891

Examiner: D. Zarneke

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated August 22, 2005, or until December 22, 2005.

Enclosed is a Credit Card Payment form for \$120.00 to pay the one-month extension fee in accordance with Rule 1.17(a)(1).

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge any amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1353.

Dated: December 13, 2005

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